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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:)
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DANIEL PHARO et al.)
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SERIAL NO.: 10/635,871)
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FILED: AUGUST 5, 2003) GROUP ART UNIT NO. 2859
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TITLE: PERSONNEL LOCATION)
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CONTROL SYSTEM WITH)
INFORMATIONAL MESSAGE)
PRESENTATION)
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EXAMINER: TANYA C. COURSON)

SUBMISSION OF FINAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The applicant recognizes that a notification of non-compliant appeal brief was issued in the above-identified patent application. The applicant, however, has not submitted a new appeal brief. Shortly after receipt of the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief, the applicant and Examiner Alexander Smith of Group Art Unit No. 2859 were involved in extensive discussions concerning this application and two related applications by the same inventors.

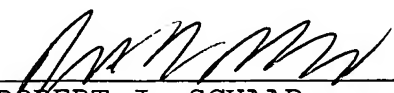
There were numerous communications and numerous drafts of proposed changes to the claims which were discussed by Examiner Smith and by the applicant's undersigned attorney. As a result, the applicant did not submit a compliant appeal brief because it

was determined, at an early date, that the appeal would not be pursued. Rather, the time was spent with numerous telephone conversations, as aforesaid and preparing new drafts of claims. Finally, and only recently, a complete agreement had been made between the applicant's undersigned attorney and Examiner Smith and the related Examiner in charge of this application. As a result, the applicant is herewith submitting this final amendment which should automatically place the application in condition for final allowance since it contains the changes agreed to by the applicant's undersigned attorney and Examiner Smith.

It is noteworthy that Examiner Smith had devoted a very substantial amount of time to this and to the two related applications to achieve a complete resolution of this matter. These actions on the part of Examiner Smith are not only appreciated, but they are to be commended. It is not often that an examiner will devote substantial amounts of time and energy to achieve a resolution in an application as did Examiner Smith.

Dated: Sept 4, 2006

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT E

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Sir:

The present Amendment is being submitted in response to oral telephonic interviews with Examiner Alex Smith on behalf of Examiner Tanya C. Courson.

Please amend the above-entitled application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-34.

Please add the following new claims 35-54.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.